

GRIMSBY OVER TOP

LAST CALL, DITTY BAGS

Don't Let Grimsby Fail On This Job

Men Who Sail The Seven Seas In Order That Food, Munitions, Shall Reach Safety On The Other Side Need Your Help.

37 BAGS TO FILL

White Elephant Girls To The Fore Again — Guarantee To Fill 50 Bags — 202 Already Shipped — 48 Ready For Shipment — It's Up To You.

"For Men Must Work, And Women Must Weep, Though The Harbor Bar Be Moaning"

The Harbor Bar on all the water fronts around the world have been moaning for four long years and more, for Merchant Marine Men. The men who brave the cruelties of the sea, ice, storm, mines, U-boats and close-in shore bombs and machine gun fire.

A Merchant Marine Man belongs to no Navy or other organization that is backed by the government. He receives no pension for disability. He is out there doing his duty as he sees it, without thought of compensation for the future, come what may. Many thousands of these men, are men who have been turned down as physically unfit by

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School Attendance Almost Perfect

Children Must Like Their Teachers For High School is Practically 100 Per Cent And Public School Likewise.

Chancellor of the Exchequer of the Board of Education, William Hewson, reported to the Board on Wednesday night that the year's budget of \$29,578 would be lived within and a small balance left over, providing that no expenditures of any account are made.

Attendance at the High School for October was almost 100 per cent, with an enrolment of 143. The enrolment at the public school is 315 with an average daily attendance of 335.

The proposition of Councillor Mitchell of North Grimsby that the Town of Grimsby and the Township flood the public school grounds and provide a skating rink for the children, which has been concurred in by the Lions Club, was heartily endorsed by the Board and they will give every assistance possible.

Still Smiling?



CAPTAIN HERBIE KEIM

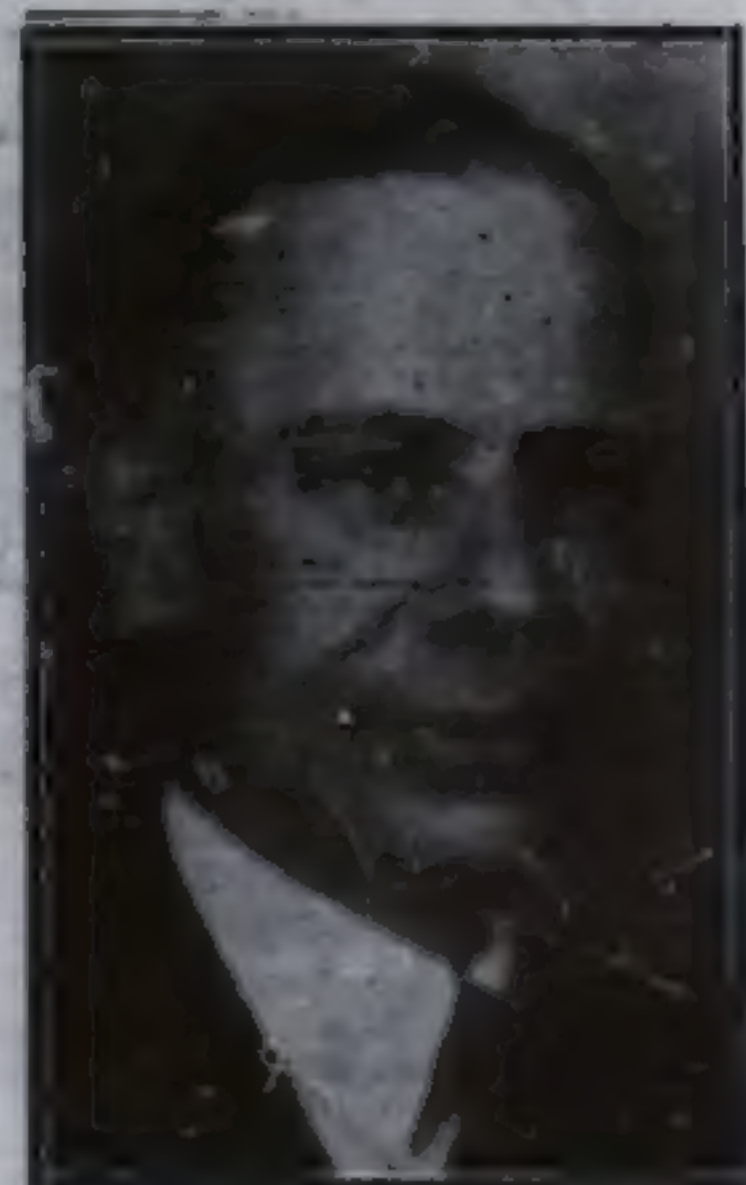
Better known to his legion of friends throughout the district as "Smilin'". Now overseas with the Royal Canadian Engineers.

The Grimsby Independent

Grimsby, Ontario, Thursday, November 11, 1943

REEVE LOTHIAN WOULD HAVE COUNCILLORS GROW WHISKERS

Summer Resident



ALBERT WAITE
One of Grimsby Beach's most illustrious and illuminating summer cottagers is the gentleman pictured above. "Abe" has been coming to the Beach for years and has a host of friends all through the Fruit Belt. He is Mechanical Superintendent of The Hamilton Spectator and has been steadily connected with that newspaper for 45 years.

Bacon Family Are Ali In Service

Former North Grimsby Resident Now Living In British Isles And Very Busy On War Duties.

Received your very most welcome parcel of smokes. Thanks a lot.

Pts. Skewes.

My heartiest thanks and appreciation.

L/Cpl. Guy Winter.

Received the cigs to-day and they came at a good time as we haven't had any through for several weeks. They usually precede a batch of mail and so we're all happy about the whole thing. Our thanks as always to you and all the members.

W. J. Metcalfe.

Received 300 cigs sent by you, this morning, and I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all that made it possible. Words cannot express how pleased I am to receive them as they are so expensive and hard to get over here and the tobacco not near as good. Thanking you and all that made it possible. I remain,

Yours respectfully, Alex Neale.

Just a short note to thank you for the gift of cigarettes which I

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Could Not Secure Second Motion That Members Chins Sprout Hirsute Adornment Like Their Predecessors of Years Gone By.

SESSION IS LIGHT

Council Pay Tribute to Late A. G. Boulter — Pass Motion Recommending That 1944 Council Pay Particular Attention to Employees Wage Scale.

Business was very light at Town council last night, there being nothing but odds and ends of routine on the agenda. With no questions before them requiring deep deliberation, Reeve Lothian in his most facetious manner, conceived the idea that it would be a good thing if the Town Fathers grew themselves a luxuriant crop of whiskers.

Suited action to the thought he tried to get a motion through to that effect but was unsuccessful in securing a seconder. His motion was as follows:

"Whereas members of His Majesty's Canadian Navy — are permitted to wear a complete set of whiskers — as demonstrating their virile manhood and further, as illustrated by a photograph, adorning the walls of this august Chamber, former members of this body, the Grimsby Village council, emulate the Nazarenes, by not permitting a razor blade to touch their chin or cheek, be it resolved, that members of the Town council (Continued on page 8)

It's Still Summer In The Fruit Belt

Flowers Picked From Garden Arrive — Winnipeg in Excellent Shape — Still Picking Green Peas.

The fruit crop may be all harvested and the foliage gone from the trees but it is still summer weather in the Fruit Belt.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Edward McLalonen, Robinson Street South, picked a large bouquet of asters and other flowers from her garden and shipped them to Winnipeg by express. On Monday she received an air mail letter from her niece telling her that they had arrived in excellent condition. Another box was shipped to Dauphin, Man. and they also arrived just as fresh as when picked from the garden.

On the same day Mrs. J. G. Daffoe, picked a bouquet and shipped it to Saskatoon and they too arrived in fine shape.

Mrs. McLalonen also reports to The Independent that she is still picking green peas from her garden and unless a sudden freeze-up comes will be so doing for at least another 10 days.

Ex-Mayor Passes



ALBERT G. BOULTER
Former Grimsby resident and Mayor of the town in 1931-32, who passed away in his 73rd year, at his home in Smithville, on Thursday night last.

Grimsby Ex-Mayor Called By Death

Albert G. Boulter Passes at His Smithville Home — Had Been Active in Municipal Affairs For Many Years.

Albert George Boulter, one of the district's most prominent business men and a former mayor of Grimsby, passed away at his home in Smithville on Thursday evening last.

Although he had been in poor health for several months, his death was unexpected and news of his passing was received with deep regret by a wide circle of friends.

In his 73rd year, he was born at Victoria, Ont., in 1871. In younger life he spent fifteen years as an assistant road master with the G.T.R., working between Toronto and London. Coming to Smithville in 1904, he opened a store. He was head of the firm of A. G. Boulter & Sons, which operated stores in Grimsby, Beamsville and Smithville for several years.

He moved to Grimsby in 1923. While here he took an active part in municipal affairs and was mayor of Grimsby in 1931 and 1932. Closing the Grimsby and Beamsville stores, he returned to Smithville in 1934 and retired from active business.

The Smithville grocery business was taken over by his son Bert and the butcher business by the other son, Frederick. When Bert Boulter enlisted in the army his father as-

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EXCEED OBJECTIVE BY \$54,450 1205 SUBSCRIBERS TO LOAN

Grimsby citizens once again have proven that when the call comes they are ready to respond. For the fifth time since the war commenced the residents of the town and township have exceeded the amount of their Victory Loan objective. In this latest loan, just closed, the objective for the two municipalities was set at \$400,000. This looked like a very large sum to raise, particularly in view of the poor crop conditions in this section the past summer.

But when the final figures were compiled on Monday it was found that the objective had been topped by \$54,450, making the total loan sale \$454,450.

Decorate Graves Of Old Comrades

Canadian Legion And I.O.D.E. Hold Annual Dedication And Memorial Service — Parade Was Largely Attended.

Annual dedication and memorial service in commemoration of the fallen of the last war and the present conflict was held Sunday afternoon under auspices of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. E., and West Lincoln Branch, Canadian Legion.

Prior to the service, held in Moore's Theatre, members of the Legion, veterans of the present war, naval cadets, members of the R.A.F., R.C.A.F. army, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), C.W.A.C., High School Cadets and Boy Scouts paraded to Queen's Lawn Cemetery where wreaths were placed at the memorial gates and graves in the soldiers' plot were decorated. Graves of soldiers in St. Andrew's churchyards were decorated and a wreath placed on the memorial there at the morning service.

Major Murton Seymour, O.B.E., of St. Catharines, was chairman at

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Motorcyclist Is Instantly Killed

Lyle Smith Struck By Motor Car On No. 8 Highway — John McLaren Jumped Clear — Thrown a Distance Of 60 Feet.

Lyle Vincent Smith, 16, son of Herbert and the late Mrs. Smith, North Grimsby, was killed instantly on Saturday evening when his stalled motorcycle, beside which he was standing on No. 8 highway, one mile west of Grimsby, was struck from behind by an eastbound car in charge of Glen Small, 147 Rosalyn avenue south, Hamilton. Another lad, John McLaren, also standing beside the machine, managed to jump aside in time to save himself.

Marks on the highway led police to believe that motorcycle and boy were hurled a distance of at least 60 feet by the force of the impact. Mrs. Small, riding in the front seat of the car beside her husband, was thrown against the windshield with such force that her head shattered the glass. The accident happened only a short distance from the Smith boy's home.

According to young McLaren, the motorcycle had stalled a moment before and was standing near the edge of the pavement while Smith tried to start it. The motorcycle lights were on and two other eastbound cars had passed the machine, he asserted, before it was struck.

According to the police report, the car driver said he was blinded by glaring headlights on an approaching car and did not see the motorcycle till within 15 or 20 feet of it. The front end of the car was extensively damaged.

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The Fifth Loan exceeded the Fourth Loan of last spring by \$85,350, the total sales of that loan being \$369,100.

The pay-roll system put into force for employees of the various factories in the town worked very successfully, all but two plants obtaining more than 100 per cent sales. Canadian Cannery (Todd's) led this branch of the sales by 285 per cent with Grimsby Stove and Foundry employees second with 170 per cent and Canadian Cannery (Cory's) third on the list

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Cigarettes Are On Their Way

176 Packages Of 300 Each Shipped Last Week To The Lads Overseas — Six Packages Go To Prisoners Of War.

Grimsby boys overseas, wherever they may be — 182 of them, including six prisoners of war — will smoke cigarettes on Christmas Day, thanks to the generosity of the people of this district.

"Cammy" Millyard reports that all shipments of Grimsby cigarettes are on their way across the pond. There are 176 lads on the war fronts and six in Germany. To each one has been sent a Christmas carton of 300 smokes.

In order that this shipment for the Yuletide could be made in full "Cammy" had to go in the bag. Having a good line of credit with Manager Eric Eugene Ewing of the Bank of Commerce he was able to do this. Now it is up to you to come across and get "Cammy" out of debt.

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Overseas



CAPT. GORDON HUNTER

Son of William and Mrs. Hunter, Grimsby Beach, now overseas with the R.N.L.I. His brother Lieut. F. C. Hunter is with the same unit.

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Frank Fairborn, Jr.

THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER

How dear to my heart is the steady subscriber,

Who pays in advance at the birth of each year;

Who lays down the money and does it quite gladly,
And casts round the office a halo of cheer.

He never says, "Stop it; I cannot afford it;
I'm getting more papers than now I can read";

But always says, "Send it; our people all like it."

In fact, we all think it a help and a need."

How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum!

How it makes our pulse throb!

How it makes our hearts dance!

We outwardly thank him; we inwardly bless him—

The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

LAW AND ORDER MUST PREVAIL

In St. Catharines police court on Friday morning, Johnny Belcot, of St. Anna, the crack softball pitcher of the Peach Kings, was fined \$35 by Magistrate James Campbell, for assaulting a Peace Officer.

That is as it should be. Johnny Belcot did assault Constable AH. LePage, in the course of his duties. Johnny admitted the assault and paid his fine. By so doing he admitted that he was wrong in attacking this officer. All the more credit to him for admitting his fault and taking his punishment.

The strange thing to me in the whole case is the number of supposed to be good citizens that uphold Johnny Belcot for taking a clout at a Peace Officer in the course of his duties.

Just because Johnny Belcot is a great softball pitcher does not make him immune to the law and I do not believe that Johnny Belcot thinks so either. It is just a lot of hard brained humans who idolize an athletic hero, and have not the least idea of what common decency means.

Those same people that I have heard belly-aching about Johnny getting three strikes called on him, are the very same people that I hear raving about the lackadaisical efforts of Chief Turner, Provincial Constables Riley and Hart.

Despite all the belly-aching of this particular outfit of C.C.F. supporters, law and order is going to prevail in Grimsby, and it always has, no matter whether a man is an athletic hero or a Jungle Jack.

There are over 400 Grimsby and North Grimsby men and women in uniform fighting for liberty and freedom. Strong in their belief that at home—Grimsby—their loved ones are being protected by the civilian police. Their faith is not in vain. The police of Grimsby, both municipal and provincial are doing a good job and anybody that wants to think otherwise will find himself in the same spot that Johnny Belcot was in.

LAW AND ORDER MUST PREVAIL.

BLACK NOVEMBER

Don't make any mistake about it, there are Germans today in their hundreds of thousands who regard this present month about as black a November as that 25 years ago, when on the 11th they threw the towel in, to Marshal Foch.

As a matter of fact, due to the uncertainty, the overhanging peril, the dread of things to come, the German mental state

may be lower today than when relief came 25 years ago, and the killing was ended.

They were hungry then, but they lived on hope. The whole war has been transformed within a year. The effect on morale from defeat in the Ukraine and at the Crimea has yet to gather a full tide. And this disaster to German arms comes on the eve of another winter, the fifth of the war. Hitler's one last hope, the U-boat has been blasted.

The Germans never did observe Armistice Day, November 11, but they always remembered it with shame and humiliation. Today, memories will be made more bitter by the bleakest and most hopeless outlook any nation ever faced.

MAIN STREET

The difference between Canada and the United States are often greatly exaggerated. We quote an editorial from the Christian Science Monitor which is so true of any Canadian village that it goes to show only how the traits of our common ancestry still survive:

"Reports indicate that Saturday night on Main Street has come into its own again. For many years Saturday evening was an institution in country towns and county seats. But there were lean years for storekeepers when farm families had all the gasoline they needed. It was just a pleasant jaunt to the nearest city, 20 to 50 miles away.

"Now it is different. Country stores are having a boom and the storekeepers are struggling with the familiar problems of manpower shortage and lack of stock.

"After an early supper, Father shaves, bathes, and puts on his second-best suit while Mother and the girls in their second-best dresses, protected by big aprons, do the dishes. Mother has the pail of eggs ready, and a box of pound prints of butter. (Of course, you remember. That golden-coloured spread you used to put on hot muffins and toast.) Many thrifty families still take produce to town to exchange.

"At John's General Store, Grain, Hardware, Groceries, and Notions, the actual trading does not take long. But the real spirit of Saturday night on Main Street is not the buying. It is the friendliness which prevails as one meets neighbors. It's the laughter and banter, the good memories of other times, the visiting and the catching up on the news of the countryside. Yes, and these significant days, it may be a handclasp of sympathy and an encouraging word.

"Main Street on Saturday night is part of the heart of America."

USE YOUR VOICE

There is an admonition in the latest issue of "Consumers' News" a bulletin published by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for the benefit of Canada's women, which might well be absorbed by every citizen of the Dominion. The title is succinct, "You Have a Voice. Use It."

"It has been said so often and so glibly that we are fighting this war for freedom, for democracy and for the rights of the citizen, that we are apt to accept the statement without thinking very deeply as to its meaning, especially as most of us have absolutely no experience of what it means to live in a country ruled by a dictatorship which denies the citizen any individual freedom at all," the article contends.

"As Canadian citizens we have the unquestioned right to think for ourselves. We have the right to criticize and to express our opinions without finding ourselves behind bars or before a firing squad. But that is less than half the story. What is even more important today is that we should realize to the full the responsibilities that go with our rights and do something with them."

The last line is the most challenging. Admittedly Canadians are well versed in the business of complaining. That is one of the rights of democracy, one of the rights for which we fight. But complaints are generally voiced within the neighborhood circle, rather than directed toward a proper source of adjustment.

Public opinion points the way toward the necessity for such adjustments and, if possible, amendments to orders can be made by the government. But if the machine of war is to run smoothly, co-operation from private citizens is essential. In the article, women's groups are urged to send representatives to the Advisory Committees of the Consumers' Branch.

Through the branch, with its network of thirteen thousand representatives across Canada, every citizen may be in direct contact with the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Canada is writing the hardest chapter in her economic history. It is the privilege, rather than the duty, of every Canadian

to see her through that task. Aimless complaining is a weak link in the war chain. Bring the necessity for readjustments before the right people. You have a voice. Use it.

SENSELESS STYLES

If any woman reader of this is irked by that heading she is urged to read the rest before aiming a brickbat at the editorial head. She might be temporarily soothed by the assurance that the average male, though he jokes about her doodads and finery, really appreciates her attention over her appearance and thinks a great deal more of some of those unusual hats than he is willing to admit. The woman who doesn't believe this can test her man's reaction by displaying herself some day in a dress of sackcloth.

Though the women naturally feel it more, the honest male will admit reluctantly that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board campaign against "frills" has taken something of the feminine touch out of our daily lives. Neither men or women are complaining. It is a sacrifice that is expected.

At least two men in Canada today are, however, quite pleased at the ravages of the W.P.T.B. in the realm of style. They are Professor Frank Scott, national chairman, and David Lewis, national secretary of the C.C.F. party. They voice their glee in a rather obscure passage of a book they have recently turned out "Make This Your Canada", a review of the C. C. F. party policy. Their only disappointment is that the frill-snipping of the W.P.T.B. has not been carried far enough.

Speaking disdainfully of pre-war days, Scott and Lewis say: "A tremendous amount of waste was incurred by numerous manipulations of styles and products which added nothing to the utility of the article but which, on the contrary, often misled an unsuspecting public."

Then, in appreciation of the wartime butchering of styles—and possibly in pleased anticipation of how much this could be extended if the nation went socialist and voted them into power—they continue. "Today prices are fixed, styles are supervised and utility products are gradually replacing crazy competition in senseless styles."

With our womenfolk today given the vote to protect their own interests it seems difficult to understand how Scott and Lewis could expect to gather many feminine votes with talk like this. Possibly they believe the

jokes about the husband fainting at the sight of his wife's hat, and are trying to gather a voting bloc of such men.

One thing at least the Scott-Lewis declaration has done. It has made the situation clear. Any woman who is fed up with "senseless styles" can go out and vote C.C.F. the next time an election gives her the chance.

Letters To the Editor

St. Catharines, Ont.,
October 30, 1943.

The Grimsby Independent,
Grimsby, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of The Canadian National Institute for the Blind and the St. Catharines-Lincoln Advisory Board I wish to thank you most sincerely for your exceptional assistance in connection with our recent tag day held at Grimsby. The publicity that your paper gave our tag day was, perhaps, really responsible for the larger returns this year over previous years, which necessitated the making of more tags of which you were good enough to make. This splendid co-operation and interest in our work stimulates us to continue to merit your fullest support by doing everything we can to aid the condition of the blind. We would also like to express the appreciation and thanks of all those who participated in our effort for your generous, whole-hearted assistance.

Therefore on behalf of all of us who are working in the interest of the blind and on the behalf of the blind who receive this help will you please accept our many thanks.

Very sincerely yours,
Max P. Knechtel,
Field Secretary.

Grimsby Beach,
November 9, 1943.

The Grimsby Independent.

Mr. Editor:

I would like to quote you an example of co-operation that warms my heart. Mrs. Fred Tufford (Gertie) called me up to say that she had a quantity of old paper, all tied in bundles for the salvage. She said if it would help any she could send it up.

Mrs. Russell Young had also called me about salvage, and I told Gertie about it. What did Gertie do? She called Mrs. Young and offered to take up her salvage at the same time, with hers.

One big load instead of two small ones, saving gasoline, tires and manpower.

More power to the women who will follow this example.

The new salvage warehouse is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and there is a great need for rags and paper. Bring it or send it in at once.

Salvage Committee,
J. A. Wray.

The Cupboard Is Bare! The Coal Bin Is Empty!! The Editor's Pocketbook Is Flat as a Pancake!!!

THE COAL MAN, THE KNEADER OF DOUGH, THE VICTUALERS,
ARE ALL HOWLING FOR THEIR MONEY. YOU CAN
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BY HOLLIS

A Nation's Homes

So long as there are homes to which men turn
At the close of day,
So long as there are homes where children are,
Where women stay,
If love and loyalty and faith be found
Across these hills,
A stricken nation can recover from
Its gravest ills.
So long as there are homes where fires burn
And there is bread,
So long as there are homes where lamps are lit
And prayers are said,
Although a people falters through the dark
And nations grope,
With God Himself back of these little homes,
We still have hope.
—Grace W. Crowell in the Australian Church Standard.

Spring In February

Sometime next February when the longing for spring grips you, wouldn't you like to have a nice bloomy bowl of narcissus or hyacinths on the kitchen window sill?

And so you may. Plant your bulbs in November and early December. Plant them in anything that will give plenty of room for root growth, and allow for drainage. Good garden soil is all that bulbs require, but a little powdered charcoal and bonemeal will be a help. Set the bulbs an inch apart, with their noses just showing. Firm the earth around them, water them well, and place them in a dark spot in the cellar. If you have a cement floor, bring in some pails or boxes of earth to set your pots in, then cover them with paste board boxes, or anything to keep out the light. They must be kept cool. An outdoor root cellar is much better than a warm one under the house.

Look them over every two or three weeks, they may need more water. When root fibres appear through the holes in the bottom of the pot and a pale green nose pokes through the earth, bring the more forward upstairs and put them in a clothes cupboard, still covered over. They will need more frequent watering. When the first leaves are about an inch high, they may be brought out and placed in a dim corner until the leaves have changed to a real green. They will take plenty of water now, and may be placed in a sunny window. Move them out of the window at night, but it won't hurt them if the room drops to a low temperature. They prefer a cool temperature, anyway.

You have a choice of Hyacinth, Daffodil, tulips, narcissus, or a pot or two of each. Just for a treat, try a pot of the little grape hyacinth, blue and white mixed.

The Pennsylvania Dutch Who Stayed Behind

What about the Pennsylvania Dutch who stayed behind? For only a few small groups, mostly of the Mennonite sect, came to Ontario during the disturbances that followed the American Revolution.

They are still there, in the rich farm lands of Pennsylvania where they began to settle in 1681 at the invitation of William Penn, the young English Quaker who had acquired a huge block of land in the new country.

Most of them came from the Palatinate, a fertile strip of land along the Upper Rhine, eagerly accepting the chance to leave their war ravaged lands for the new world where peace abode and each man worshipped God according to his own and not another's conscience, under laws in whose making everyone had a hand.

By 1776 almost half the residents of Pennsylvania were from German states. They spread through the river valleys, choosing the best land by instinct, as far north as the Mohawk, for in those days the

Ways For Warmth



That old adage "you can't have your cake and eat it" has changed during these war days to "you can't have your coal and burn it." Canadians will want to make certain of getting all the heat possible from the coal they burn during the next six months. Warm air registers and cold air registers should never be obstructed with rugs or furniture. The young housewife in the picture above knows that unless they are clear, the free circulation of air cannot take place.

borders of Pennsylvania reached up into what is now the state of New York, to Maryland in the south.

Not all were farmers. Among the groups of emigrants were artisans, scholars, potters, printers, lawyers, weavers, turners, ministers and gunsmiths. The first paper mill was built by William Rittenhouse, some of whose descendants settled, along with others of their people, in the Jordan-Vineland district.

Down in Pennsylvania, the old customs and the old dress still prevail among the "plain" sects, at least with very little change in the last 175 years or so. Little schoolgirls wear the close fitting black bonnets over straight hair, parted in the centre and slicked back behind the ears, skirts to their ankles, and black shawls, just as their mothers and grandmothers do. Boys' hair is cut in Dutch bob style, with bangs. They wear broad brimmed felt hats and light trousers that stop well above the ankle.

Farmers still paint brightly coloured "ben" signs on their huge barns to keep away bad luck. They set great store by the ancient books of incantations and mystic recipes handed down by their ancestors. They still decorate their furniture, dower chests and birth certificates with gaudy hearts and birds and tulips, with animals and suns, moons and stars, and many other quaint symbols.

Their wives make the same palate-tickling food as their great-grandmothers did; schnitz and knepp, schmiercase and boovaabekel, geachmetse noodles, chicken corn soup, and the "seven sweets and seven sours," to enumerate only a few.

Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind!

Well, there's a good job well done! Come the cold winds and the snow, we are ready. The storm sash are up and the storm doors hung and we're all dug in for the winter. What a cosy feeling it gives to know that everything is as weathertight and snug as it can be made.

The carrots, celery, potatoes, beets and turnips are all in their comfortable pits, with a wisp of straw sticking up through the top for ventilation. The cabbages are hung by the heads from the cellar rafters, and the onions are there too, spread on slatted trays piled one above the other. Hampers of winter apples are stacked on the shelves, —the good old stand-bys, Greening, Spy, Baldwin and Russet. A few cases of Snow and Delicious are ready to hand, —and the hand is pretty frequent. The preserve cupboard, although not so plentifully stocked as in former years has, we hope, enough good things in store to see us through, with care.

Yes, we're all ready for winter, so it's about time for a spell of fine Indian Summer weather.

Pennsylvania Dutch Apple Butter

For the last 170-odd years the Pennsylvania Dutch have been making Apple Butter both for home consumption and for market. Here's the way they make it in Bucks County, and maybe in the township of Louth, too:

Sweet cider is boiled down to about one-third its original quantity. To this is added an equal weight of sliced apples, about a third as much of molasses, and various spices, such as cloves, ginger, mace, cinnamon or even pepper, all boiled together for twelve or fifteen hours.

Often the great kettle is filled with cider in the morning, and boiled and stirred constantly all day, then the sliced apples are added at night, and the monotonous stirring continues till morning, when the butter can be packed in jars and kegs for winter use. When finished it is smooth and solid like cheese and dark red in colour. The butter making is an outdoor job, with a specially built treplace of its own for hanging the huge kettle in.

Suiting The Card To The Person

Everybody knows the best time to begin planning for Christmas is the day after Christmas. And the same would seem to apply to sending out Christmas cards, at any rate, to those that go abroad, for now it's October that they must be on their way.

It's an important ceremony, selecting the right card for the right person, having, at the same time, regard to the warmth of our feeling for that particular person. —Or is it an olive branch offering? —Or is it for some thorny one whom we would gladly like a little better, given half a chance?

Here's the one for Emmy Jessie, living in that over-blitzed corner of south-east England: A country dooryard, abloom with all the sweet flowers we remember in her own garden, a black cat sprawled on the brick walk in the sun, a little Georgian porch covered with pendulous blue blooms of Wisteria, an open door with a glimpse within of more flowers on a small stand, and pictures on the wall.

The spray of velvety crimson poinsettias is for Doris, the grammar school teacher. For a schoolmarm the girl has a bright personality which three years of intensive war and twenty of teaching have failed to dim.

The old-fashioned fireplace with armchairs drawn up, kettle steaming on the hob, little table set for tea with blue china, and Rover dreaming on the hearth rug, is just the one for Uncle Peter and Aunt Martha in Lancashire.

The blossomy cards, the cards that picture peace and comfort are all for England and Scotland. The snow scenes, the sleighing parties, the skaters, the frozen brooks are to stay in Canada where they belong. Not for aroids would we send such cards to England or even to the good old U.S.A. Both countries have highly exaggerated notions of this "land of perpetual snow and ice," and it will take all the sunny gardens and luscious fruit orchards and gay bathing beaches we can send on Christmas cards to offset their overdrawn misconceptions.

LET'S BUY THEM A DITTY BAG

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (BUP)—When Toronto-born Fern Blodgett reported at a Norwegian refrigerator ship for her first job as a radio operator in 1941, the skipper, a veteran of Atlantic warfare, objected.

At length Capt. Gerner Sunde, from the South of Norway, gave in. His regular operator was sick.

Yesterday the Norwegian shipping and trade mission announced the marriage of Second Mate Blodgett to Sunde, who has completed 58 Atlantic crossings.

The honeymoon—two more round trips. The former Miss Blodgett worked as a stenographer in a Toronto insurance office but had completed a six-months' course in radio operation when Capt. Sunde's emergency arose.

She noted Capt. Sunde's obvious disapproval when she reported for duty on Friday, June 13, 1941, and her morale wasn't bolstered very much when on the first day she suffered a violent attack of sea-sickness. She saw the end of her sea-career, but so efficient did she become that at the end of the voyage, Capt. Sunde changed his tune and decided he would not replace her.

Five months later he faced her with an engagement ring and the following July after her 14th Atlantic crossing, they were married in Montreal. Mrs. Sunde has made 11 of the ship's wartime voyages and she now has two assistant radio operators.

NATIONAL EMERGENCY



Don't waste
COAL

Make every
shovelfull count!

CANADIAN PACIFIC

PART of the Canadian Pacific Railway's campaign for rigid conservation of coal during this heating season is a special booklet of instructions, the front cover of which is illustrated above and which all those immediately responsible for handling company coal must follow. Supplementing the booklet a general appeal on home saving possible has gone to the almost 70,000 employees of the company and the subject will be kept alive by a continuing intra-company educational series. All phases of the campaign, announced by W. M. Neal, the vice-president, are expected to save 500,000 tons of coal throughout the system itself, with the home savings by Canadian Pacific people expected to add considerably even to that impressive figure. The company saving will be 10 per cent. on the approximate 5,900,000 tons of coal required annually—a remarkable saving, when considered in the light of the Canadian Pacific's own conservation campaign to increase operating efficiency, which has been intensively pursued for 10 years.

Volunteers In Action



Citizens' committees in many cities have assumed responsibility for providing hostel facilities for members of the armed services on leave. Volunteers are shown at work in a typical hostel. From hostel duty to dishpan duty, these hostels require the services of many volunteer workers.

DON'T WASTE FOOD



NAVY WEEK STARTS NOV. 21st

Social Events ★ Personals ★ Organizations ★ Club Activities

Have you heard about The Rebellion of Youth?

Bandman Fred Durham, Camp Borden, was home over the weekend.

Sergt. Keith Brown, R.C.A.F., Trenton was home for the weekend.

Proceeds of Christmas Seal Sales in Grimsby and District last year for Niagara Peninsula Sanatorium were \$287.68.

Sergt. Roy Hurst, R.C.A.F. overseas, son of Harvey Hurst, has been promoted to the rank of Flight-Sergt.

Miss E. Grady is a patient in Hamilton General Hospital with a fractured leg. The accident occurred at her home in Hamilton.

Mrs. J. Vooges is again asked to take an active part in Navy League work after being laid up for several weeks with an injured wrist.

Wm. G. and Mrs. Copeland, Elizabeth street will celebrate the 50th anniversary on Monday next, Nov. 15th, very quietly, owing to the ill health of Mrs. Copeland. The Independent extends congratulations and hope they will both be spared to celebrate many more such occasions.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

14 Paton St. Grimsby, Phone 107

Rev. E. A. O'Donnell, M.A., P.P.

XXII Sunday After Pentecost

Mass—11 a.m.

Sunday School—3 p.m.

Benediction—4 p.m.

Smithville—Mass, 9:30 a.m.

Vineland—Mass 11:15 a.m.

Trinity United Church

W. J. WATT, B.A., B.D., Minister.

SUNDAY, NOV. 14th, 1943

11 a.m.—Walking Against The Lights.

7 p.m.—The Sacrifice of Cain and Abel.

Sunday School at 2:30 in Trinity Hall.

Wylie Theal, of Camp Borden, is home on furlough.

Mrs. Nettie Whitaker, Hamilton spent Sunday with Mayor and Mrs. Edric S. Johnson.

L.A.C. John Spencer, R.C.A.F. is spending his furlough with his parents George and Mrs. Spencer, Ridge Road east.

L.A.C. Harry Kemp, R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents Lt.-Col. Fred and Mrs. Kemp, Nelles Boulevard.

Mrs. Norman Hoebel and small daughter, Cheryl Rose, of Crowland, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hoebel, Depot street.

A.W. 2 Louise Buckingham, R.C.A.F., (W.D.), of Rockcliffe, spent the weekend at her home here. She was accompanied by Miss Jane Dalmage, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flett have received word of the safe arrival overseas of their nephew, Sgt. W. E. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walker, Melissa, Ont.

Mrs. Donald A. Beckstead, Chatham, was a weekend visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Durham, Grimsby Beach. Mrs. Beckstead's brother, Thomas Archer, left on Saturday with 900 other members of the R.C.A.F., for Sarkkha, where he has been posted.

The 134th anniversary services were held in Fifty Church on Sunday. Rev. N. S. Anderson, Stony Creek, was the speaker in the morning and in the evening Rev. Hiram Hull, First United Church, Hamilton, preached. Special music was given by the choir, under the leadership of George Smith, Frank Boyle, R.C.A.F., Hamilton, was the soloist at both services. The junior choir assisted in the evening.

Trinity W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of Trinity United Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. P. Wilkins on Monday afternoon, with a good attendance. The business session was conducted by Mrs. J. O. Moore, president.

A pleasant hour was spent making quilt blocks, followed by refreshments served by Mrs. Erwin Holmes and Mrs. Mel. Pettit. Arrangements were made to hold a Rummage Sale on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 12th and 13th. New articles as well as old will be offered.

Plan to see The Rebellion of Youth. You'll enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Havas, Brantford, spent the weekend with Mrs. Clifford McCartney.

The Mothers' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. G. DeQuetteville on Thursday next.

A.C. 2 Wm. Fellows, R.C.A.F., was home from Lachine, Que., over the weekend, on his way to Belleville for a special course.

Cpl. Thomas Gammage, of Toronto, spent the weekend at his home here. He received his promotion from Lance Corporal last week.

The Ladies' Aid of St. John's Presbyterian Church will hold a Penny Sale at the home of Mrs. R. E. McIntyre, Nelles Road, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 17th. Come and bring a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sovereign, of Central Avenue, Grimsby Beach, were in Toronto last Friday attending the funeral of Mrs. Sovereign's cousin, Dr. J. N. E. Brown. Dr. Brown was an ex-superintendent of the General Hospital in Toronto and the Ford Hospital in Detroit. He also served the Dominion Government for a number of years as Territorial Secretary and Medical Officer of Health for the Yukon, going there at the time of the gold rush in '98. He was a brother of Rev. Homer G. Brown, of Chengtu, West China, who is now home on furlough.

Rebekah Lodge

At their regular meeting in Masonic Hall on Tuesday members of Alexina Rebekah Lodge enjoyed an evening of bridge and euchre. The door prize was won by Mrs. E. Greenwood.

The winners at the euchre tables were Mrs. Geo. Mould, ladies' high; consolation, Mrs. Roy Clemens. Gent's high went to Mr. Geo. Mould, and Gent's low to Mr. A. Hermiston.

Mrs. Ed. Hand, Sr., was high winner at bridge, and Mrs. Geo. Konkle low winner.

The members plan to hold another bridge and euchre on December 14th, beginning 8:45 p.m.

Eastern Star

Grimsby Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting in the Chapter Room on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2nd. Mrs. Violet Day, Timmins, Worthy Grand Matron, and other Grand Chapter officers were present.

Annual reports of the various committees for the year were given, and were very gratifying, especially those of the benevolent and patriotic committees.

A reception honouring Mrs. Ines Cloughley, District Deputy Grand Matron, was held at the close, with Past Matrons of Grimsby Chapter in charge. Members of Mrs. Cloughley's family, as well as friends, were present, extending best wishes for a very happy year of service.

A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Margaret Moore and her committee and brought to a close a very happy and memorable evening for Grimsby Chapter.

Trinity Service Club

Trinity Service Club held its regular meeting in Trinity Hall on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. V. Cotton presided.

A report on the Christmas boxes sent to the club's three adopted soldiers overseas was given.

The speaker for the afternoon was Mr. Jos. Richardson, student minister of the Baptist Church. His subject was Women in the New World. Mr. Richardson outlined briefly three of the many problems to be solved, namely, economics, rehabilitation and religion.

That a woman's circle of influence starts in the home and is best exemplified in the education, culture and religion of the children under her constant care and supervision was one of the main points.

Mrs. J. Shields, accompanied by Mrs. V. R. Farrell, rendered two delightful solos, "Thanks Be To God" and "Absent."

Afterwards refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. James Merritt and Mrs. L. Morrison.

Mrs. E. Hyland, St. Catharines, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. MacBride, Adelaide Street.

Terry Farrell, formerly of the Independent staff, who has been residing at Kirkland Lake, is now in the R.C.A.F., and is stationed at Lachine, Que.

The many friends of Mr. Alex Stewart, Klidd avenue, are glad to know that he is making a satisfactory recovery from his recent illness, and is now able to be up and about the house.

Mrs. Lloyd Haynes, of Grimsby, has received word that her husband, Sgt. (Air Gunner) L. R. Haynes has arrived overseas. Sgt. Haynes is 25 years of age, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes, of St. Catharines. He has two brothers, Allan, in the army overseas, and Jack in the R.C.A.F. in Canada. Sgt. Haynes was formerly employed by Loblaw's grocery store, Welland, and at the time of his enlistment was employed by the Grimsby Store and Furnace. He spent his early years with his son, Garry, and his wife, Dorothy, daughter of Wm. and Mrs. Allen, John street.

Nuptials



WEILER—HUNT

In the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton, on November 3, Rev. Joseph A. Powers officiated when Olive, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunt, Brantford (formerly of Grimsby), was united in marriage to Special Constable Edward J. Weiler, R.C.M.P., only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Weiler, of Hamilton.

The bride was gowned in powder blue chiffon velvet with hat to match. Her corsage bouquet was of orchids and bouvardia. She wore pearls, the gift of the groom.

Miss Frances Weiler, sister of the groom, was her only attendant, wearing a dress of rust and blue wool with matching hat. Her corsage bouquet was of gold chrysanthemums. Mr. Aubrey Hunt, brother of the bride, was best man.

A small reception was held at the home of the groom's mother, 366 Jackson street west, for the immediate members of the families. The couple left for a short trip to points east.

WINDECKER—PETERS

A very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. Raskie in the Lutheran Church, St. Catharines, on November 3rd, of Miss Anne Peters, of Jordan, and Mr. Emil Windecker, of Bearsville.

The bride looked charming in a long white chiffon gown, with full length veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies with white streamers, and her only ornament was a lovely pendant, the gift of the groom.

Miss Frances Cromwell, of Grimsby, was maid of honour, wearing a long blue chiffon gown with a shoulder length veil and carrying yellow and white roses. Miss Helen Peters, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. Her gown was of pink chiffon, with pink and silver length veil, her flowers were pink and white roses. Mr. Geo. Ficken, of Beamsville, was best man, and Mr. Henry Windecker was usher.

A reception was held at the bride's home, after which a dinner-dance was held at Taylor's Autotel, the couple leaving later for Toronto. The bride travelled in a two-piece black and turquoise suit with accessories to match.

Guests were present from Toronto, Hamilton, Dunnville, Grimsby, Beamsville, and Jordan.

On their return the young couple will reside in Beamsville.

Coming Events

See the Rebellion of Youth, a play at Trinity Hall, November 25 and 26. Admission 25c.

Navy League Week
November 21st

Commencement Exercises, Friday

The annual Commencement exercises at Grimsby High School will be held on Friday night of this week, in the School Auditorium.

The programme of entertainment and presentation of awards is a very lengthy and varied one and will be of much interest to residents, particularly the parents of the pupils.

This program is dedicated in loving tribute and high praise, to the sacrifice and patriotic devotion of the graduates and undergraduates of Grimsby High School, who have answered the Call of King and Country, to Defend our Homes, to Protect our Heritage, and Establish Freedom on earth.

Obituary

WILLIAM N. VAIL

William Nelson Vail, Thirty Mountain, a North Grimsby farmer for the last 46 years, died at his home Thursday in his 78th year. He was a deacon of First Baptist Church, Beamsville, and a member of Coronation Masonic lodge, and Smithville chapter Royal Arch Masons. Besides his wife, formerly Maggie Caughey, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alden Wilcox, Smithville; four brothers, Thomas and Ames, of Simcoe; Cecil, of Montreal, and Rev. Leslie H., of Kemora.

ALPHEUS E. MERRITT

In failing health for some time, Alpheus E. Merritt passed away at his home, North Grimsby township, Thursday last, in his 68th year.

He was a retired manufacturer, a former member of the firm of Merritt Bros., basket manufacturers in Grimsby. He was born in Calist.

Survivors are his wife, a son, Reginald, North Grimsby; two daughters, Mrs. John Rempel, Toronto, and Lois, at home; also his mother, Mrs. Valmur Merritt; four brothers, Benson and Orton, of

Calist; John and Frank, of Grimsby, and a sister, Mrs. Curtis Swayne, of Caledonia.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Saturday afternoon, with Rev. W. J. Watt officiating. Interment being in Ker Church Cemetery.

Casket bearers were Wm. Mc-Niven, Charles Pottruff, Herbert Smith, Frank Bentley, R. O. Smith, and James Ridge.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of James Marowe who passed on Nov. 13, 1940.

It's sharing sorrow and work and mirth,
And making better this good old earth;

It's serving, striving, through strain and stress,
It's doing your noblest—that's success.

Mrs. E. R. Swift, Burlington

NO COUPONS REQUIRED FOR APPLE BUTTER

Maraschino cherries, apple butter, sorghum molasses and sorghum syrup have been removed from the list of rationed commodities. It has been announced by the War-time Prices and Trade Board. Certain commercially used products such as pineapple pulp and apple pie filler in large containers and canned rhubarb in solid pack have also been taken off the ration.

GRIMSBY HIGH SCHOOL

Annual

Commencement

School Auditorium

Friday, Nov. 12th

at 8:00 p.m. Sharp

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Native SPY APPLES, combination grade 3 lbs. 25c

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TEA A-P Special Blend 4 oz. bag 17c

MACKEREL 27c

CHICKEN HADDIE 30c

CHIPSO Giant Pkg 49c 2 Large pkg. 43c

MUSTARD Libby's 2 oz. jar 15c

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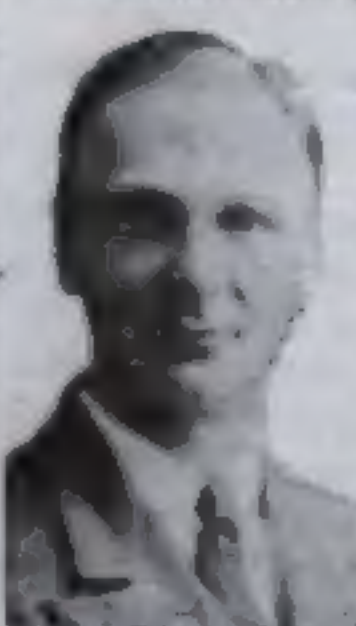
(Niagara Advance)
At a meeting of Lincoln County C.C.F. Association held last Thursday night, Allen E. Schroeder was named candidate for this riding in the next Federal election. Having been badly defeated in two provincial elections apparently qualifies Mr. Schroeder to enter the Dominion field. He's a beggar for punishment.

Our Mistake

In our issue last week, in reference to the percentages of the local factories, in the Fifth Victory Loan drive, we stated that the employees of H. H. Farrell & Sons factory had reached 75 per cent. This was incorrect, as they passed the 100 per cent mark and had 108 per cent bonds sold. The 75 per cent was the figure for the week previous. This was an error on the part of The Independent.

Old Age Pensions To Be Increased

Dr. R. P. Vivian, Ontario Minister of Health and Public Welfare, who announced last week that Old Age Pensions would be increased to \$38 a month as of November 1st. Mothers' Allowances will also be increased, announcement of which will be made later.



SALVAGE

There will be a salvage collection in North Grimsby township, only, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, November 17, 18 and 19. Have your salvage ready on those dates for the collectors.

Paper, rags, rubber, iron, glass, etc. Everything is salvage these days and is badly needed for the war effort.

Navy League News



The self-coloured wool for the new type of socks is now here. Quite a number of ladies are waiting to knit them. We have promised to send 50 pairs towards the 5,000 pairs required. These socks will be impregnated with petroleum before they are stored on the lifeboats and rafts of the ships of the Merchant Navy.

More knitters are still required. These socks are heel-less, easy to put on even in a lifeboat on a rough sea. Ordinary socks will continue to be issued to the sailors by the Navy League.

Last week at our committee meeting, our convener, Mrs. Charles Coxall, stressed the urgency of knitting more and more sweaters for the sailors of the Merchant Navy. We are told that some of the ladies are a little tired of knitting them, and would do smaller garments.

We have 5 months of bad weather ahead of us, and no part of a sailor's clothing is so important as a sweater. Who provides them? The owners? No. The government? No. The dire need of supplying them is left to us.

Go to the knitting mills, we are sometimes told. But all their woolen comforts are commandeered by the government for the use of the armed forces. Of course a small supply is released from time to time for the civilian demand.

We put this to the test last week. Two large knitting mills were approached on behalf of this branch of the Navy League. Naturally or not, we found we had no locus standi, the civilian demand came before ours. We stress all this to show we may not slacken off one moment until the whole war is ended.

Woolen comforts, ditty bags, magazines and books, in an endless stream pour into our Canadian ports daily.

The following is part of a letter received by Mrs. Coxall from Mrs. J. C. Mackay, Secretary, Women's Committee, Toronto:

"May I at this time take the opportunity of expressing to yourself and those who are working with you the sincere thanks and gratitude of the Women's Committee and the President and officers of the Navy League for the splendid contributions you are making on behalf of the welfare of our sailors. Believe me, our Women's Committee has been thrilled and tremendously encouraged by the co-operation and willing help of thousands of people throughout the Province."

Mrs. Coxall wants her helpers to know how much their good services are appreciated.

Cucumbers are relished in hot desert country because they quench thirst.

Apple Crop Shows A Large Increase

The Ontario Fruit and Vegetable Statistics Committee publishes the October Report giving the condition of the commercial fruit and vegetable crops in the Province of Ontario.

Western Ontario—Apples—The total district estimate for the apple crop is 77 considerably increased from previous reports with the total commercial production placed at approximately 490,000 barrels. These revised figures indicate a 37% increase over 1942 published figures, and 21% over the September estimate. Some reduction in Norfolk and Middlesex-Huron areas due to poor sizing of late varieties has been more than offset by heavier production in other districts, particularly in Georgian Bay and Peel-York.

The bulk of the crop has been harvested under favourable conditions with practically no damage from frost, hail or wind. Apples are coloured exceptionally well in practically all areas although size has been somewhat irregular. Late fungus scab has not been troublesome although earlier scab infection affected many orchards. The codling moth has not been as serious as last year, but apple maggot has increased and red bag injury has affected apples in a few districts. Considerable tonnage in excess of last year is finding its way to processing channels for apple pie filler, apple juice, and dehydration.

Grapes—It is now estimated that the total crop will be about 26,000 tons as compared with the bumper crop of 36,000 tons in 1942, or a decrease of 28%. This is a reduction of 6% from our September estimate, largely due to Concord not yielding as well as anticipated. All varieties produced well filled bunches but many of the Blues were of small size. Quality was excellent and the harvesting was completed under favourable conditions. Vineyards look exceptionally well at the present time.

Peaches—The estimated 1943 production of peaches remains as previously reported at 440,000 bushels as compared with 1,620,070 in 1942. There was very little loss from Brown Rot in Elbertas, but insect damage, Peach Moth and Curculio was more serious than in many years.

Pears—Owing to general good sizing and yield from young bearing trees, the total production of Kieffers and Bartlett's has been better than earlier anticipated, and the total for all varieties is now placed at 332,200 bushels, a decrease of approximately 20% from last year and 12% better than reported in September. The quality has been excellent with normal sizing.

Plums—The total crop of plums of all varieties is estimated at 131,900 bushels, or approximately 31% less than in 1942, a betterment of 12% over the last estimate, due to increased final yield in pruned and European varieties. Quality and size were generally good. Deliveries to processors were heavier than usual.

MOORE'S THEATRE

FRI. - SAT. NOV. 12-13

"One Dangerous Night"

Warren William, Eric Blore
"Professor Small and Mr. Tall"

"Shepfields And Band"
"Proudly She Marches"

Matinee Saturday — 2 p.m.

MON. TUES. NOV. 15-16

"Spitfire"

Leslie Howard, Rosemary John
"Picture People"
"Sportlight"

WED. THUR. NOV. 17-18

"The Constant Nymph"

Charles Boyer, Joan Fontaine
"Fox Movietone News"
"The Unbearable Bear"

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID

Lions meet next Tuesday night.

Water Commission meets next Tuesday night.

Navy Week in Canada is Nov. 21st to 27th.

Township council meets Saturday afternoon.

Renew your subscription to The Independent TODAY.

Big Turkey Bingo, Community Hall, Beamsville, Dec. 3rd.

Today is the 25th Anniversary of the signing of the Armistice in World War I.

Beamsville Boy Scouts invested a portion of their recent Apple Day sales in a Victory Bond.

Owing to the housing shortage trailer homes are on the increase in St. Catharines and are causing the Board of Health some concern.

County Council will not hold its regular meeting on Tuesday next, owing to several of the members being away deer hunting. The meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 23rd.

The annual meeting of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers Association will be held in the Masonic Hall, Grimsby, Thursday, Dec. 9th, at 8 p.m.

Matt Fisher, Earle Durham, Ted Durham and Alex Parker have returned from deer hunting in the north country. They brought back their full complement.

W. H. Stevens of St. Mary's has been at Grimsby Beach the past two weeks tearing down the lake-side portion of the old Casino building. The balance of the building will be razed in the spring.

More Grimsby deer hunters have gone to the bush. Fire Chief Alf. LePage, Frank E. Russ and Teddy Hand left for Port Loring on Saturday morning. This will be the 40th deer hunt for Mr. Russ.

"Lifebuoy Follies, a breezy, riotous fun-fest, of gals, wisecracks, music and dancing, will be presented in the High School Auditorium, Thursday night, Dec. 9th, under the auspices of the Grimsby branch, Red Cross.

A general meeting of the Progressive-Conservative Association of Ontario is being held tomorrow in the Royal York hotel, Toronto. Clarence W. Lewis, President of Grimsby association is attending this meeting.

The death occurred in Tilbury on Friday last of Kenneth Stillwaugh, in his 58th year. Mr. Stillwaugh will be remembered by many people of this district as the Superintendent of the Grimsby Brick and Tile Works during the middle thirties.

The kiddies around Grimsby Beach have lost their pet. Biddy, the 16-year-old hen owned by Mrs. Iva Culver has passed away to chicken heaven. She was a great favorite of all the youngsters around the Beach and was still laying up until a few days of her demise.

Among the names of those who have been repatriated to the United Kingdom in exchange for Nazi-held prisoners in Allied hands is Pte. Carl Ernest Juhke, of Niagara-on-the-Lake, a former Beamsville boy, son of the late Ernie Juhke for many years Chief of Police of the eastern village. A brother Wm. was killed at Dieppe.

Crown Attorney E. H. Lancaster, K.C., St. Catharines, has announced that no inquest will be held in connection with the death of Mrs. Arthur W. Snyder and her 11-year-old son, Donald Snyder, killed in a level-crossing accident at St. Ann's on Oct. 18. Mrs. Snyder was driving towards Smithville on the Twenty road when her car was struck by a T. H. & B. train.

Mayor Edrie S. Johnson, honorary treasurer of the Poppy Fund reports that sale of Poppies in Grimsby on Saturday last totalled \$103.50. As complete reports from other districts of West Lincoln branch, Canadian Legion, on Poppy sales have not yet been received, a full report cannot be made until a future date. Wm. J. Schwab had charge of the sale of Poppies in Grimsby town and he is to be congratulated on record sale that he made.

Births in October in St. Catharines numbered 92, 52 of which were new arrivals for residents of St. Catharines, and 40 were non-resident. Deaths for the month totalled 30, 23 of which were resident deaths. Marriages numbered 49, an average of more than one a day, according to the vital statistics report issued today for October by the city clerk's department.

Police Chief W. W. Turner was

called twice on Saturday to investigate two accidents in which the same car was involved. According to his report, a car in charge of Geo. Robinson, Grimsby Beach, was sideswiped by a machine in charge of Harold Gowland at the corner of Nelles and Main street, damage being about \$75. The Robinson car was later parked on Elizabeth street, and while there it was struck on the left side by a car in charge of Ross Johnson.



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FOR SALE — Melton Overcoat, black, size 40. \$8.00. Box 31. 17-2p	WANTED — Airman's wife, fully experienced sales clerk, wishes part time work. Box 90, Independent. 18-3p
FOR SALE — Girl's skates with boots; size 4. Apply 12 Gibson Ave. 18-1p	WANTED — Used furniture, stoves and farm implements. M. J. Swibb, King St., Beamsville, Phone 350. 43-1fs
FOR SALE — Man's bicycle, good condition. Apply 50 Mountain Road. 18-1p	WANTED — Tired of seeing that glazed ash lying around doing nobody any good? If it's suitable for a porch, call 58. 18-1p
FOR SALE — Lady's winter coat, green, nearly new, silver fox fur, size 18. Phone 475. 18-1p	WANTED — Cook-general for Hotel in Grimsby district. Apply National Selective Service, 44 King E., Hamilton. Refer Permit No. 18189. 18-2
FOR SALE — Folding go-cart and play-pen. Apply A. Judd, Ker-man avenue, north of C.N.R. tracks. 18-1p	WANTED — Fruit farm on highway, up to five acres, small house with conveniences, between Winona and Beamsville. Cash or terms. Box 22, Independent. 17-2p
POTATOES FOR SALE — First class Katahdin and Cobbler Potatoes. C. M. Bonham, Telephone 590. 18-1p	FOUND — Small sum of money at east end of town. Owner may enquire at Independent Office. 18-1e
FOR SALE — Man's winter coat, black, size 40, perfect condition. Cost \$25. Will sell for \$15. Box 23, Independent. 18-1p	LOST — Between post office and cemetery gates, blue wallet containing registration card, insurance papers, \$2 bill, and change. Finder please bring to Independent Office. 18-1p
FOR SALE — Good frame house, in good location in Grimsby; all conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply 100 Maple Avenue. 18-2c	
FOR SALE — Mixed Timothy and blue grass hay; delivered. 1928 Paige Sedan car, in running order fair tires. Thos. W. Allen, Smithville, Phone 14-R-11. 17-3p	
CARROTS FOR SALE — Large or small quantities, \$1.00 per hamper. Please bring own container. Arthur Parsonage, Main West, Phone 525. 17-2c	

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

All persons having claims against the estate of Katharine Maude Emilia Groat, late of the town of Grimsby, in the County of Lincoln, widow, deceased, who died on the 5th day of April, 1937 are required to send same to the undersigned executor on or before the 30th day of November 1943, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims then filed.
Dated at Hamilton, Ont., this 20th day of October, 1943.
K. A. GROUT, Executor,
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Peach Queens' Bowling League

JOHN HALE			Stevenson	143	175	317
Walters	122	206	128	436		
Simms	130	196	137	361		
Hildreth	125	193	130	448		
Irish	122	228	145	500		
Todd	111	89		200		
Dumny		131	131			
VANGUARD			Mayflower, 2; Vimy, 0.			
Raid	123	124	136	389		
Walters	107	111	89	296		
Cosby	121	130	121	381		
Mino	88	89	84	271		
Johnson	143	123	137	403		
SOUTH HAVEN			John Hale, 2; Vanguard, 0.			
Carson	131	190	215	536		
Walters	74		164	238		
Balsley	165	127	258	550		
Bigger	129	83		222		
Wilson	195	181	130	506		
Anderson		127	107	234		
VELETTE			724 708 874-2206			
McBride	210	106	330	715		
Southward	131	128		259		
Shelton	114	193	176	483		
Murdoch	86		104	230		
Marlowe	191	171	105	527		
Bonham		149	101	230		
VICTORY			723 507 945-2484			
Robertson	173	143		316		
Clark	127		187	294		
Neale	228	221	163	612		
Cosby	142	180	195	497		
A. Neale	172	195	151	518		
Duffield		223	137	360		
GOLDEN DROP			842 942 813-2986			
Metcalfe	128	121	117	378		
J. Jarvis	146	121	134	511		
N. Jarvis	109	63	108	280		
Doune	142	67	79	286		
Hurst	78	110	254	443		
ROCHESTER			903 502 692-1897			
Bottle	141	106	124	371		
St. John	121	134	128	383		
Headip	197	97	133	427		
Tregaskes	145	209	84	438		
Crown	115	179	143	436		
VICEROY			719 895 611-3025			
M. Cole	106	129	146	381		
Armstrong	106	145	128	380		
Lewis	122	185	190	497		
Fisher	129	177	207	513		
Hummel	126	123	142	491		
VIMY			731 880 705-2216			
Dunham	126	183	126	433		
Geddes	124	203	154	480		
Frazier	147	177	171	495		
Scott	82	154	68	304		
Elmer	243	185	178	606		
MAYFLOWER			154 147 174-475			
Laird	124	143	178	515		
Martin	189	256	190	615		
Curtis						

Future Games

Thursday, November 11th	7:30—Vimy vs. Viceroi.
7:30—Van Guard vs. Admiral D.	
Friday, November 12th	7:30—South Haven vs. Elberta.
7:30—Golden Drop vs. St. John.	
9:00—Veterans vs. Vedette.	
9:00—May Flower vs. Rochester.	
Wednesday, November 17th	7:30—Vimy vs. Admiral Dewey.
7:30—Van Guard vs. Vedette.	

Games Next Week

Monday November 15th	7:30—Farmers vs. Black Cats.
7:30—Pin Twisters vs. Boulevard.	
9:00—Pirates vs. St. Andrew's.	
9:00—Firemen vs. St. Joseph's.	
Tuesday, November 16th	7:30—Sheet Metal vs. Peach Kings.
7:30—West End vs. Highway.	
9:00—Pony Exp. vs. N. Packers.	
9:00—Wonders vs. Owl's Club.	
Wednesday, November 17th	9:00—Barbers vs. Generals.
9:00—Gas House vs. Butchers.	

HEAVY FINES IMPOSED FOR WARTIME BREACHES

For selling poultry at excessive prices and failing to supply customers with proper invoices, a Sherbrooke w.c. dealer, has been fined \$1,000. An Ottawa livestock dealer was fined \$500 and sentenced to three months in jail for selling meat to retailers at unlawfully high prices and failing to maintain adequate records. A Vancouver landlord was fined \$500 for failing to observe Wartime Prices and Trade Board rental regulations. A total of 108 persons were charged with violations of one or more of the Wartime Regulations.

Ladies' Averages

ADMIRAL DEWEY			McCallum	127		
Turner	133					
Whyte	131					
Kannacher	128					
Theal	114					
Gibson	101					
CRAWFORD			Fyndyk	160		
Parer	133					
Hildreth	140					
MacMillan	140					
Watts	127					
Pettit	128					
VETERAN			Fair	144		
Allen	143					
Rahn	124					
Rally	126					
Shelton	115					
Cloughley	111					
ELBERTA			Terry	123		
Rogers	146					
Phelps	137					
Shafer	117					
Baxter	113					
ST. JOHN			Farris	161		
Stuart	140					
Konkie	142					
Mackie	142					
Tilston	120					
Coyle	113					
VALIANT			Irvine	178		
DeMille	126					
Gilliepie	127					
Farrell	124					
Scott	122					
VICTORY			Robertson	200		
Duffield	173					
M. Neale	171					
A. Neale	162					
Clarke	146					
VICEROY			Fisher	172		
Hummel	128					
Armstrong	123					
M. Cole	126					
Lewis	105					
E. Cole	105					
MAYFLOWER			Curtis	173		
Martin	154					
Betts	154					
Laird	190					
Stevenson	148					
Lambert	110					
VIMY			Elmer	179		
Dunham	150					
Geddes	143					
Frazier	126					
Merritt	126					
Scott	119					
JOHN HALE			Irish	162		
Walters	155					
Todd	140					
Davidson	120					
Simms	129					
Hildreth	127					
VELETTE			MacBride	283		
Marlowe	161					
Shelton	160					
Bonham	126					
Southward	127					
Murdoch	112					
ROCHESTER			Groff	130		
Crown	145					
Tr. gaskes	120					
Headip	122					
St. John	125					
Bottle	128					
SOUTH HAVEN			Carson	141		
Balsley	156					
Wilson	123					
Bigger	105					
Anderson	87					
Walters	120					
GOLDEN DROP			Hurst	134		
Metcalfe	127					
J. Jarvis	194					
N. Jarvis	91					
A. Neale	80					
Doune	80					
VANGUARD			Johnson	140		
Hill	126					
Field	124					
Cosby	120					
Chandler	115					
Walters	100					
Stuart	87					
Mino	80					
Hartwell	80					
League Standing			Victory	21		
Valiant	20					
Mayflower	19					
Crawford	18					
Vedette	15					
John Hale	13					
South Haven	12					
Elberta	12					
Rochester	12					
St. John	10					
Vimy	10					
Veteran	8					
Viceroi	5					
Admiral Dewey	2					
Vanguard	1					
Golden Drop	1					
High Average, 336, D. McBride.						
High Average, 290, C. Robertson.						
High Triple, 744, St. John.						

SPORTOLOGY

By James Livingston, Sportologist

THE GIRLS ARE GOING WILD

There was plenty of excitement at the Bowleyway on Friday night. Dora McBride was the cause. She bowled three games for a total score of 715, with a high game of 330, this topped Little Mary Irvine off the top rung of the ladder for the Hewson & Son trophy, but the "red head" was not good enough to cap the triple high score which Mary still retains at 744. In that high game Dora just couldn't do anything wrong, despite the fact that in her previous game she had hard work to make a score of 180. . . . Rumor has it that the manufacturers of Black Cat cigarettes are providing Olive Shaw and his team of Black Cats with free games, for the great showing that they are making in their league games. If there is anything free going around you can bet that Shaw will get his share. . . . It's remarkable how Corina Robertson and her Victory team stick to the top of the Peach Queens' league. The going is not as soft for them this season as last, still they manage to hang onto the leadership by a one game margin. . . . Clarence and Mrs. Rushton entertained the Peach Kings team that won the C.O.S.A. championship this past season, on Thursday night last. The boys were presented with new red and white windbreakers. . . . Since the above paragraphs were written there have been more hectic scenes at the Pin Topping Palace. Whizzer Kannacher and his Pirates cockily went into action on Monday night but when Al. Howard Ingelhart and his Boulevard gang got down with the hold, bad business they were down two to one and Little Whizzer hasn't got it figured out yet how it all happened. Then the grand expansion took place. Olive Shaw and his Black Cats got their tails twisted something awful by that crew of peach pickers from the west end of the township, the Pin Twisters. Peach King Mort. Zimmerman, corn cob pipe and all, led his crew into battle in true Montgomery style and what a lacing for three games they gave the Cats. Big Timber Tufford, mainstay of the Cats tank corps was as much good to his team as a peanut to a hungry elephant and all the rest of the outfit were just as cheery. As a result of this terrific setback I've got two bits that says that Shaw won't stick his nose inside Rushton's barber shop for the next 10 day. It's tough to be a champ. and get knocked off.

GRIMSBY BOWLING LEAGUE

Wednesday, November 3			Handicap	800	800	800
WONDERS				819	1030	830
Lucy	230	234	183			
Colter	205	174	190			
Hurst	204	134	243			
Laskay	163	192	196			
Lewitt	176	200	204			
1007			923	1122		
BUTCHERS						
Betts	184	245	185			
Burgess	183	215				
St. John	182	277	180			
Fisher	167	247	223			
Martin	183		190			
Jarvis		236	242			
Handicap	60	60	60			
920			1280	1088		
Wonders, 2; Butchers, 1.						
BARBERS						
Powell	255	193	180			
Kellertorn	230	126	184			
Turner	180	214	184			
Tufford	207	225	115			
Forester	120		120			
Hand		120				
1040			890	743		
GAS HOUSE						
Rahn	183	223	223			
C. Shelton	195	180	171			
Buchanan	145	171				
Girling	173	223	140			
Hartnett	184		200			
Shelton		226	200			
Handicap		10				
800			1043	800		
Gas House 2; Barbers, 1.						
Monday, November 3 rd						
PIRATES						
Falloon	62		185			
Clattenburg	123	129				
McCallife	190	180	120			
Kammacher	165	150	180			
Clark	125	229	203			
Norman		143	270			
711			821	1006		
BOULEVARD						
Sims	202	183	187			
Ter-y	142	179	154			
Englehart	195	226	180			
Hewson	120	160	210			
Low Score	83	119	158			
Handicap	30	20	10			
734			921	945		
Boulevard, 2; Pirates, 1.						
PIPEMEN						
Harrier	153	144				
Hunter	213	178	218			
Stuart	119	169	123			
Hummel	193	160	270			
Allen	111		264			
McPherson		183	264			
Handicap		10	20			
748			872	1082		
ST. ANNE'S						
Alton	131	145	216			
Nuniamaher	186	180				
Shafer	126		166			
Theal	229	228	231			
Sogers	150	195	181			
Phelps		282	146			
301			850	853		
St. Anne's, 2; Firemen, 1.						
PIN TWISTERS						
M. Zimmerman	111	130	141			
Sills	26	126	114			
Handicap	125	210	110			
BLACK CATS						
Tufford	154	217	100			
Southward	150	119	190			
Cosby	215	186	111			
Farrow	127	180	190			
Shaw	100	201	120			
806			801	700		
Pin Twisters, 2; Black Cats, 0.						
NIAGARA PACKERS						
Cornwall	175	180	180			
Kennedy	120	242				
Marr	100	232				
Baxter	175	183	110			
Cotton	120	126	170			
Handicap	00	60	60			
838			1044	800		
FARMERS						
Scott	219	185	110			
Terryberry	157	178	100			
Betts	122	111	210			
Jones	127	242				
Bonham	166	148	110			
Low Score						
841			861	700		
Nia. Packers, 2; Farmers, 1.						
Tuesday, November 9 th						
SHEET METAL						
Rucker	120	137	200			
MacBride	87	221	120			
Morrison	175	183	120			
Plett	200	179	120			
Low Score		127	200			
894			816	800		
ST. JOSEPH'S						
Fr. O'Donnell	170	162	120			
R. Phipps	180	185	100			
Fr. Corrone	149	223	120			
Vooges	174	127	120			
Care		210	120			
Handicap	20	10				
672			927	1000		
St. Joseph's, 3; Sheet Metal, 1.						
GALS CLUB						
Lewis	217	161				
Hysert		161				
Lawson	163	20				
Moore	167	120				
McNinch	192	180				
Punham						
906			90			
PONY EXPRESS						
Sirrine	185	170				
Hemley	120	220				
Allen	171	244				
McGregor	178	200				
Low Score	162	105				
Handicap	10	20				
835			1003			
Owl's Club, 2; Pony Express, 1.						
PEACH KINGS						
Snyder	161	143				
Fisher	200	180				
Stokes	163	243				
Schwab	152	244				
MacBride	181					
Fisher		182				
Handicap	60	60				
922			1004			
WEST END						
McNiven	124	143				
DeQuetteville	142	210				
Zimmerman	316	198				
Smith	185	143				
Geddes	260	171				

CONTINUATIONS

From Page One

TOWN COUNCIL of Grimsby, henceforth grow beards and so aid the war effort, by using less soap and add to the dignity of this body, becoming in outward appearance as well as other respects, Fathers of the Town — copy of this to be sent to Warden Charles Durham with the admonition, Go Thou And Do Likewise."

At opening of meeting Mayor Johnson asked council to stand for one minute's silence out of respect to ex-Mayor A. G. Boulter who passed away last week.

Edward Todd wrote council asking for permission to place on lot No. 13, Robinson street north, a small cottage at present on the English Inn Property, No. 8 Highway east. He stated he wished to remodel the building for renting purposes.

Roy Johnson appeared before council with regard to moving a body interred in his lot in Queen's Lawn Cemetery, closer to another grave in the same lot. He agreed to pay all expenses in connection with same.

Joint Fire Committee accounts for \$385.92 were ordered paid.

A grant of \$50 was made to the Lincoln County Humane Society for services rendered in Grimsby this year.

A bylaw was passed fixing the time for holding the first meeting of council in each year, as the Second Monday in January at 8 o'clock in the evening.

A bylaw was passed authorizing the transfer of property on Murray street north, east side, to Matilda Dokken, Ottawa, for \$350.

Relief accounts for the month of October amounted to \$56.27.

General accounts for \$3,180.18, were ordered paid.

Tax Collector Hummel reported \$2,386.43 collected in October on 1943 taxes. From January first to October 31st, taxes to the amount of \$50,780.68 have been collected as against \$70,968.57 in 1942.

Police report for the month of October showed: Four charges of theft; one charge of vagrancy, dismissed; one truck stolen, recovered; one stolen car recovered; one stolen bicycle recovered; one break-in, nothing taken; for Humane Officer, eight cats, five dogs; dog tax collected, \$34.75.

Clarence McNinch and Dr. Jas. L. Smith having suspended business in the municipality their business tax for 1943 will be rebated.

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Those Employed In War Work
Need Not Apply

High School Auditorium, Dec. 9th



Dancing Due with the Lifebuoy Folies, that will appear in Grimsby, under the auspices of the Grimsby Red Cross.

Lothian-Bull—"That this council in regular meeting assembled, extends the members deepest sympathy to the family of the late A. G. Boulter, a former Mayor of this town and a highly respected citizen, in their bereavement."—Carried.

Baker-Inglehart—"That this council recommend the following to the new council appointed in January, 'that particular attention be paid by them to the scale of wages paid town employees.'"—Carried.

Inglehart-Alton—"That Mr. Edward Todd be advised that the Town Council has refused permission to move cottage on Robinson Street North."—Carried.

GRIMSBY OVER TOP

with 154 per cent. The other percentages were as follows:

Shaffer Bros.	123%
Grover Cold Storage	150%
Merritt Bros.	106%
Town Employees	105%
Farrell's	103%
Hewson & Son	100%
United Distillers	100%
Brock Snyder	75%
Metal Craft	75%

DECORATE GRAVES

the service. An address was given by Father B. A. O'Donnell and prayers were offered by Rev. J. A. Ballard and John Richardson. The lesson was read by Rev. W. J. Watt. The roll of honour, containing 118 names, seven of whom have died in action in the present war, was read by Major L. A. Bromley, and Last Post was sounded by buglers. On the stage of the

theatre was a beautiful basket of chrysanthemums cabled from overseas by two former ushers, Sgt. Norman Warner and Pte. Kenneth Warner.

Following wreaths were placed: Province of Ontario, by Mrs. Robert Neale; town of Grimsby, by Mayor Edric Johnson; township of North Grimsby, by C. W. Durham; I.O.O.F., by Mrs. E. W. Phelps; Women's Institute, by Mrs. George Warner; Legion, by L. A. Bromley; Lions club, by Ervin Phelps.

MOTORCYCLIST IS

Dr. A. F. McIntyre attended, but found the boy's injuries such that he had died instantly. Coroner Dr. J. H. Leeds, Smithville, viewed the boy's remains at the Stonehouse funeral home and reported by telephone to Lincoln County Crown Attorney E. H. Lancaster, K. C., St. Catharines. Provincial Constables A. E. Rally and Ernest Hart, of the Grimsby detachment, investigated.

Lyle Smith was born near Ancaster on June 10, 1927. For the last several years he had resided at Beamsville, coming to North Grimsby one year ago. He was attending Hamilton Technical School.

He is survived by his father; three brothers, F.O. Ivan Smith, R.C.A.F., overseas; Pte. Ralph Smith, R.C.E., in Canada, and Donald, at home; also five sisters, Mrs. John Tiverton, Mrs. David Cox and Mrs. Grant Laundry, all of Beamsville; Ellen and Betty, at home. He was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pottruff, North Grimsby.

Funeral was held from the Stonehouse funeral home on Tuesday afternoon, with interment in White Brick Church Cemetery, Ancaster.

Rev. W. C. Almack, United Church, Beamsville conducted the services assisted by Rev. W. J. Watt, Grimsby.

Casket bearers were Wm. Cox, David Kimberley, Frank Tiverton, Beamsville, Jack McLaren, Jas. Price and Leo Krebs, Grimsby.

The death occurred in Flora, Ontario, on Sunday, Oct. 31st, 1943, of a former well-known resident of Beamsville and Clinton Township, in the person of Thomas R. Gilmore, in his 39th year. Mr. Gilmore was a former Reeve of Clinton Township having held that position for nine years. Though not having lived in the district for some years he has generally made it a point to visit the district in recent years to renew acquaintance.

In the belief that he could do more service in his country by staying on the job and looking after his customers, Charlie Harris, of Beamsville, has decided that he will not go back to his job at the proving ground at Port Dalhousie, but will remain at home and take care of all calls. Owing to the fuel situation, chimneys and flues must be kept in perfect order so that the greatest amount of heat can be obtained from the least amount of fuel consumed. Charlie is an "old slogger" of the last "do" and he is right on the job in this "do" even if it is the Home Front.

Boy Scouts



PARENTS' NIGHT, NOV. 22nd 7:30 p.m.

The boys of the troop take pleasure in inviting their parents and friends to one of their regular meetings. Thanks to the board of education we are now able to have friends come to the high school and watch the boys in scouting. Parents and friends will please reserve this date and be on hand at the time stated. Seating will be provided for all.

At Monday night's meeting the boys were busy planning for parents' night. Troop leader Ian Marr and Assistant Scoutmaster Douglas Bedford experimented with a new form of meeting which we believe will add more interest to our scouting. After the game of rabbit and dog the boys were given an opportunity of trying some acrobatics on the horse and also on the mats.

Four boys who have qualified to become scouts were invested by the officers, William Betts, Donald Tracey, Donald Mogg, Fred Schwab. They are now able to wear their uniforms on all occasions and can wear their first badges. Scout LeRoy Zimmerman was raised to the position of patrol leader and will be given his stripes on parents' night.

The following boys were passed by the court of honour and were received into the troop on Monday night: John Millyard, Bobby Jones, David Todd, Billy Wilson, Teddy Robertson.

CUBS

The ten boys under training as leaders of the cub pack are now ready to try their first tests, and then they can wear their neckerchief and cap. Equipment and supplies are gradually being secured for this work and we expect to be able to open the pack for enrolment on time.



(By Jan Kendel)

No. 1 and No. 2 Coy's, G.H.S. Cadet Corps, took part in the annual Armistice Day parade last Sunday.

Coincidences certainly do happen! Last week-end, three former students ('43) of G.H.S. were home on leave. L.A.C. Ted McNinch, who has been stationed at Belleville, expects a move shortly. A.C. 2 Bill Fellows is taking over for Ted at B-Uville, so everything will still be well under control there. But L.A.C. Ted Konkle, decided he'd like to be different, so he's leaving Guelph for Calgary, the latter part of this week. Who says G.H.S.ers don't get around?

To-day after you kids have finished playing rugby, and are riding home with that special "W" number, take a look at G.H.S. Look at the stone church beside it—sniff the air, and watch the lowering of the flag. Look, to.

To-day in Europe the bombers will come. If there were a little stone church and a school and kids playing rugby, and a flag, they wouldn't be there tomorrow. There'd be debris and ambulances, smoke and a wooden cross—a wooden cross where a flag-pole might have stood.

"But," you say, "it couldn't happen here!" But couldn't it?

We didn't think any boys we ever knew would ever play rugby again either, did we? Those tiny black crosses on the Honour Roll prove our one mistake. Let's not make another. Buy War Savings Stamps, more and more and more, and more, until we're sure that all those other lads, G.H.S. lads will be able to shout, "Hey gang! How 'bout rugby?", when they come home again.

G. H. S. Cadet Corps, '43
Captain P. V. Smith, Instructor.
No. 1 Coy (Boys' Division)
C.O.—Andrew Fulton.
Regimental Sgt. Major — Bob

These days, when tea must yield the utmost in flavor, quality is of supreme importance. Ask for..

"SALADA" TEA

Thompson.
No. 1 Platoon: Lieut. Sandy Marr, Sgt. Larry Burgess, Cpl's Havlock Jewson, Bruce Shafer, Harry Levine; L. Cpl's Gordon Lipsit, Don Riches, John Schott.
No. 2 Platoon: Lieut. Graham Brownlee; Sgt. Ian Stevenson; Cpl's Don Martin, Arthur Tickner, Ken Fairbank; L. Cpl's Doug. McAlonan, Arthur Brydon, Ken Martin.
No. 3 Platoon—Lieut. Ian Marr; Sgt. Jim Bant; Cpl's Doug. Bedford, Bill Fisher, Doug. Cole; L. Cpl's Wilson, LeDrew, Roy Rosebrugh, Phillip Moberley.
No. 2 Coy (Girls' Division)
C. O.—Alice Neale.
Coy. Sgt. Major — Dorothy Metcalfe.
No. 1 Platoon — Lieut. Eleanor Dymond; Sgt. Wilma Pettit; Cpl's Joan Eaton, Louise Knight, Gertrude Marsh; L. Cpl's Philippe Thompson, Shirley Corwell, Madeline Fogachar.
No. 2 Platoon — Lieut. Glenn Farrell; Sgt. Margaret Duck; Cpl's Mary Teany, Kathleen Yeager, Suzanne Packer; L. Cpl's Meri Betzner, Pat Clattenburg, Ruth Lindenmuth.
No. 3 Platoon — Lieut. Barbara Boehm; Sgt. Alison Jeffries; Cpl's Betty Hand, Beverley Burgess, Doris Dipper; L. Cpl's Eileen McPherson, Joyce Mogg, Joan Greig.

NAVY WEEK STARTS NOV. 21st



Dadles... please do your travelling between 2 a.m. and 4 p.m. to avoid rush hours when war workers have to be carried. Leave children at home to make room for essential travellers. Avoid Friday, Saturday and week-end travel. Do everything you can to ease war-time travel congestion and avoid inconvenience and discomfort.



War calls must come first...

which means that we should reduce our non-essential use of the telephone to the minimum. Present facilities cannot be increased; your co-operation is needed if war calls are to go through promptly. Please remember that the wasteful use of telephone time can hold up war business — and that every second you save counts.

